

Episcopal Church of the

GOOD SHEPHERD



Weekly News December 9, 2018

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Each Friday our **Weekly News** is emailed to everyone on our **Constant Contact** list. If you would like to be added to the list you may do so on our website.

Sunday, December 9

- 8:00 a.m. **Communion Service** – church
- 8:00 a.m. Holiday Bake Sale! – Kirk Hall
- 10:00 a.m. **Communion Service** – Church
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School – Classroom
- 11:45 a.m. Episcopalian 101 – Patio Room
- 3:00 p.m. Chef John – kitchen

Monday, December 10

- 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class – Patio Room
- 4:00 p.m. Episcopal Church Women – Patio Room

Tuesday, December 11

- 7:45 a.m. First Things First – Patio Room
- 10:00 a.m. Yoga – Patio Room
- 11:15 a.m. Chair Yoga – Patio Room
- noon Rotary Meeting – Kirk Hall
- 2:00 p.m. Hebrew Class – Classroom D
- 6:00 p.m. Buildings & Grounds – Classroom B
- 6:00 p.m. Al-Anon – Patio Room

Wednesday, December 12

- 7:45 a.m. First Things First – Patio Room
- 8:30 a.m. Pack-A-Sack – Kirk Hall
- 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class – Patio Room
- 10:00 a.m. **Communion Service** – church
- 11:00 a.m. Fellowship – Kirk Hall
- 11:50 a.m. Little Group – Lounge
- 2:30 p.m. Finance Team – Patio Room
- 5:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal – church
- 6:30 p.m. Women's AA – Patio Room & Nursery
- 6:30 p.m. Vestry – Classroom D

Thursday, December 13

- 7:45 a.m. First Things First – Patio Room
- 10:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga – Kirk Hall
- 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting – Rector's Study
- 12:15 p.m. CardiYoga Class – Kirk Hall
- 3:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal – Church

Friday, December 14

- 7:45 a.m. First Things First – Patio Room
- 9:45 a.m. Al-Anon – Patio Room
- 11:00 a.m. Al-Anon – Patio Room
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation
- 7:00 p.m. HOW Group – Kirk Hall

Saturday, December 15

- 9:00 a.m. Altar Guild – church
- 10:00 a.m. Quilter's – Classroom A
- 11:00 a.m. Yoga with Sabina – Patio Room
- 1:00 p.m. Bell Choir – church
- 5:00 p.m. **Celtic Kirk Service** – church

Sunday, December 16: Bishop's Visit!

Bagzilla Returns

- 8:00 a.m. **Communion Service** – church
- 9:05 a.m. Bishop's Reception – Kirk Hall
- 10:00 a.m. **Communion Service** – Church
- 11:45 a.m. NO Deep Waters
- noon Hanging of the Greens
- 3:00 p.m. Chef John – kitchen
- 4:00 p.m. Carol Sing – church
- 5:00 p.m. Carol Sing Reception – Kirk Hall

Christmas Services

Saturday • Dec. 22

Blue Christmas Service

5:00 p.m. This service of lessons, songs and meditations is a thoughtful celebration of the birth of Christ. Although offered especially for those who are grieving, or for whom the holidays are difficult, all are welcome to an evening of solemn joy.

Monday • Dec. 24

Christmas Eve Services

5:00 p.m. Family Service with a Plug-In Pageant

The Christmas Story comes alive as we welcome and encourage kids from 1 to 92 to be part of the fun, "plugging in" whomever comes that evening into the role they want. We'll also have candlelight, carols and Holy Communion.

10:00 p.m. Candlelight Service

Special preservice music begins at 9:30 p.m.

Joy to the World, indeed! We come together to celebrate the wonder God being born of a woman, to share our lives and lead us into all truth. This is a festival of traditional carols, words of comfort and hope, and Holy Communion.

Tuesday • Dec. 25

Christmas Day Services

10:00 a.m. Traditional Rite One Service with Holy Communion



Shepherd's Sweets Holiday Bake Sale

Today, December 9

The women of Pack-A-Sack are hosting a Christmas cookie and bake sale to benefit the Pack-A-Sack outreach ministry. There will be a variety of sizes of tins for sale and plenty of elves to help you pack your tin.

Crafts for Pack-A-Sack

The final day of the craft sale will be in conjunction with the Shepherd's Sweets Christmas Cookie sale.

Come find that perfect one-of-a-kind gift of table runners, decorative tea towels, coasters, pot holders, pillows, wine totes, wall hangings, Christmas stockings and ornaments. • Raffle tickets will also be for sale for a Christmas tree wall hanging.

Tickets cost \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The winner of the raffle will be announced on **Sunday, December 9.**



During the school year our Pack-A-Sack team supplies healthy snacks to local elementary school children who would otherwise have nothing to eat over a week-end.



2019 BUDGET Review Dec. 9
after each Service, in Kirk Hall.



Prayers are requested for:

Al R.	Dave P.	Janet W.	Marilyn Stiles	Shelby
Ann	David P.	Jerry	Marilynn	Shelby M.
Ashley, Pat & Arthur	Diana R.	John	Martin L.	Sherry B.
Austin	Diane	Rev. John H.	Mei Hsiang	Stacey
Barb	Diane N.	John M.	Melody R.	Stacey S.
Barbara D.	Dylan L.	Joseph	Mike G.	Steve
Becky F.	Erik	Judy S.	Nancy V.	Susan Y.
Betty L.	Ernest	Karen P.	Pam	Sylvia
Bill G.	Evelyn K.	Karin G.	the Peacock family	Ted
Brian S.	Gail H.	Rev. Kathy W.	Peta A.	Ted. H.
Bryan R.	Gail R.	Kelly Ray M.	Phyllis C.	Terrance
Cam B.	the Garzon family	Kimberly	Ralph M.	Tom M.
Carmelle A.	Gillian & John V.	Kris M.	Ray F.	Zoe
Carol C.	Glenn & Heather	Linda	Rich D.	• CA fire victims
Carole R.	Glen P.	Linda W.	Roy R.	• Victims of war
Carolyn L.	Gloria	Luke C.	Ruth	• Those hungry in the
Christopher J.	Greg	Lou F.	Sandy	world, especially Judan
Chuck W.	Iris B.	Lou W.	Sasha	
Deacon Cindy R.	Jane M.	Margaret K.	Sean & Sara	

Names will remain on this list for one month. If you would like the prayers to continue, please re-list the name in the white Prayers of the People book. The book is at the entrance of the nave, on the left side as you enter.

Celebrations

Birthday:

Dec. 10	Marilyn Nalewajek
Dec. 14	Noel Powell
	Lucy Jennings
Dec. 16	Terri Cabaniss
	Judy Ratliff
Dec. 17	Christine McLaughlin
Dec. 18	Elizabeth Hopwood
	Llora Wonder
Dec. 20	Shirl Ahrens
	Cam Boothe
Dec. 21	Bethany Elder
	Michael Tomalesky
	Barbara Groff



Anniversary:

Dec. 11	Wayne and Jane Morris
Dec. 15	Marc and Catherine Jacobson

Planning to make a donation for Christmas flowers or music?

Please fill out an envelope located in the church pew pockets. It is important to note if your donation is given *in memory of* or *in honor of* loved ones; print names clearly. The deadline for receiving donations is **Sunday, December 16**. A listing of names will be included in all Christmas bulletins.



Serving Us NEXT SUNDAY, December 16, 2018

	8:00 AM	10:00 AM
Chalicer	Wendy Anderson	Terry Eldridge Indra Eldridge
Acolyte		Vic Howarth
Lectors	Lou Collard	Linda Thies Donna Brotherhood
Prayers	Wendy Anderson	Leslie Kulikauskas
Prayer Team		Cheryl Sharpe Rhiannon Sharpe
Greeters	Diane Niford	Donna Pylman Nancy Fisher
Ushers	Butch Niford	TBD
Welcome Table:	Joe and Betty Lombardo	
Building & Grounds:	Bob Roehl	
Coffee Hosts:	Bishop's Reception	



**Hanging
of the
Greens**



Good Shepherd will be decorating for Christmas
at Noon on December 16.

**Bishop Smith Is Visiting
The Church of the Good Shepherd
December 16**

A sign-up sheet for **nametags** is located in the back of the church. Please print clearly!

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**4th Annual
Carol Sing**



**Sunday, Dec. 16, 2018
4:00 p.m., Sanctuary**

Please join us in singing and ringing your favorite Christmas Carols.

Dessert Reception to follow!